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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136

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Sir:

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Petitionals Gerein made under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for an extension of time for ONE (1) MONTH for response to the Patent Office Action dated September 3, 2002. The appropriate fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. 1.17 is enclosed herewith.

Please charge the necessary fee for this extension to the credit card identified on the credit card authorization form submitted herewith. If for any reason charges to this credit card are denied, the Director is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 04-0753.

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